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This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.182, filed June 21, 2006, requesting issuance of duplicate Letters of Patent for the above-identified patent.

The petition is **granted**.

The file record discloses that the instant application matured into U.S. Patent No. 6,949,851 on September 27, 2005.

In view of the facts set forth in the petition, it is concluded that the patent was never received at the correspondence address of record. The Publishing Division is directed to issue duplicate Letters of Patent.

Any questions concerning this decision may be directed to the undersigned at (571)272-3222. Any questions concerning issuance of the duplicate Letter of Patent should be directed to Krystal Paige at (703) 308-9250, extension 139.

A copy of this decision is being forwarded to the Publishing Division for issuance of a duplicate Letter of Patent.

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